

## BAXTER SPRINGS NEWS.

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## THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

### CONGRESSIONAL.

AFTER routine business the Senate, on the 28th, resumed consideration of the "Original Package" bill—subjecting imported liquors to the laws of the several States. The bill, after discussion, was amended and passed, yeas 24, nays 10. The bill as passed provides that liquors transported into any State for consumption, use, sale or storage shall on their arrival be subject to the laws of such State or Territory, enacted in the exercise of its police powers, and shall not be exempt therefrom by reason of being introduced in the original package. The River and Harbor bill was received from the House and the Senate adjourned until Monday. Soon after assembling the House went into Committee of the Whole on public buildings bills and many received favorable consideration. When the committee rose the House adjourned until Monday.

WHEN the Senate met on June 2 petitions were presented and a number of bills reported and placed on the calendar. Senator Plumb introduced a bill, prepared by Mr. St. Johns, of New York, for the purchase of silver to use as lawful money. The conference report on the Military Academy bill was agreed to. The conference report on the Army Appropriation bill was presented and the question of the sale of liquor at the canteens in Prohibitory States discussed. It forbids the sale of liquors to enlisted men in such States. A number of Senators favored the proposition to make it apply to officers as well as men. The report was adopted and the Silver bill discussed until adjournment. The proceedings of the House were unimportant. A number of bills of a local nature passed, among them the Senate bill to divide the judicial district of the State of Kansas into two divisions. Adjourned.

AFTER the report of committees in the Senate on the 2d the resolution of Senator Edmunds for an investigation of the management of the Fish Commissioners' office was the subject of a lively discussion, there being serious charges against the conduct of the office. The resolution went over and several bills passed. Debate on the Silver bill was then resumed and continued. Senators Pugh and Farwell both addressing the Senate on the subject. The proceedings in the House were brief and uninteresting, the contested election case from Alabama of McDuffie against Turpin occupying most of the time.

### WASHINGTON NOTES.

IN the case of a soldier who died while serving under a court martial sentence, Assistant Secretary Bussey, of the Interior Department, has decided that the widow is entitled to a pension, the sentence being held to be no bar.

THE Washington Court of Claims has dismissed the claim of ex-Supervising Architect Mullett for \$150,000 compensation as architect of the State, War and Navy building.

THE President has taken a cottage at Cape May for his summer vacation.

THE public debt statement showed a decrease during the month of May amounting to \$8,661,871.

AN important opinion has been given out by Attorney-General Miller concerning the effect of the Irrigation law, which he declares to be very sweeping in its scope. All rights of entry upon lands which may be benefited by irrigation are suspended.

A RATHER bellicose joint resolution has been adopted by Congress against Venezuela. The President is authorized to secure indemnity for seizure of American vessels by force if necessary.

THE internal revenue collections of May aggregated \$16,837,772—greater than for any one month since 1870.

### THE EAST.

FIFTY thousand dollars damage was done Sherman & Manning's furnishing goods store, Lowell, Mass., by fire recently.

THERE was a mishap on the Brighton beach race track, New York, on the 30th. Several horses went down in a collision and one jockey was killed and two others seriously hurt.

THE Normanna, the latest addition to the Hamburg-American fleet, made her maiden trip from Queenstown to New York in six days, five hours and one minute, beating the maiden record. She received some damage by collision with an iceberg.

HON. JOHN THOMPSON died suddenly at New Hamburg, N. Y., recently of heart disease, aged eighty-one. In 1866 he was elected to Congress, being a member during the exciting time over the admission of Kansas, in which he took an important part in the debate.

PRESIDENT HAMMON was the guest of the Scotch-Irish Congress at Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 31st.

THE International Boot and Shoe Workers' Association began its second annual convention in Rochester, N. Y., on the 2d.

IN Washington, N. J., the other night, Cashier Lewis J. Hann, of the National Bank, and his wife quarreled, when he choked her and threw her down stairs. Her injuries are fatal.

CRANDALL, Democrat, was elected mayor of Norwich, Conn., the remainder of the city officials being Republican.

FRANK MANGNE, a census enumerator at New York, committed suicide at the end of his first day's work.

HON. THOMAS M. BAYNE, Republican, declined renomination for Congress in the Pennsylvania Twenty-third district.

THE overdue French steamer La Bourgogne has arrived at New York.

THE two largest blocks in Waynesburg, Pa., were destroyed by fire. Loss, \$40,000, divided among four firms.

THE new United States gunboat Bennington was launched at Roach's shipyard at Chester, Pa., in the presence of a large company.

### THE WEST.

MRS. O. J. STONE, her two children and a Mrs. Wimmer were killed in a buggy near Marion, Ind., recently while crossing the Panhandle track as a train came along.

THERE was a cloudburst at Arcadia, Wis., on the 30th. One person was drowned and two mill dams and a mill were swept away.

A TERRIBLE hailstorm visited the Red river valley, Northern Minnesota, on the 29th. In places the hail was four feet deep.

THE May festival at St. Paul, Minn., collapsed because of the poor attendance. The sheriff captured the receipts.

THREE laborers were crushed to death in a cave-in near Curry & O'Brien's rock quarry near Castle Rock, Col.

TWO brothers named Raymond living at Attica, Mich., were found dead beside the Chicago & Grand Trunk track at that place the other morning. Both were terribly mutilated. It was thought they had jumped off the train.

G. C. BROWN, a millionaire banker of Marinette, Wis., committed suicide recently by shooting himself. He had been ill.

SYLVESTER PIERCE, of Tassington, Ind., father of United States Senator Pierce, of North Dakota, died recently aged eighty-eight.

IT is stated that Governor Fifer, of Illinois, will convene the Legislature of that State in extra session to consider World's Fair measures.

CINCINNATI carpenters have struck. MRS. ROBERT MORROW cremated herself and two children recently at Durango, Col., using the kerosene can to light the fire.

THE village of Loveland, Iowa, was swept away recently by a waterspout. One life was lost.

THE Clover Leaf Manufacturing Company of Marion, Ind., has been burned out. Loss, \$25,000.

THE Inter-State competitive militia drill commenced at Kansas City, Mo., on the 2d. Twenty-seven companies were encamped.

THE wheat crop of Manitoba and the Northwest Territory is officially reported to be in the best condition ever known. There are 870,000 acres of wheat growing now.

PHILIP LYON, a graduate of Cornell last year and a son of Judge Lyon, of Ithaca, N. Y., was fatally injured by a cable car in Chicago the other day. He tried to pass from one car to another and fell.

LIGHTNING exploded Tracy & Avery's powder mill at Mansfield, O., recently. A woman and two children were in a house which was blown to atoms. One child was killed, one was fatally hurt and the woman was rendered unconscious.

AT Glenwood, Iowa, during the recent storm, the chimney of the asylum for feeble-minded children was blown down, causing two deaths and the injury of several.

THE annual convention of the Catholic Order of Foresters began in Chicago on the 3d.

By a washout near Hay, Wis., the other night, an engine and twenty freight cars of a St. Paul & Kansas City train were ditched and a fireman and a brakeman killed.

MRS. LABOCK, of Starkville, Iowa, was trampled to death by a runaway team. A child in her arms was not fatally hurt.

THE hearing in the suit of the United States to settle the ownership of the Des Moines river lands began before Judge Shiras at Fort Dodge, Iowa, on the 3d.

PENNOYER, Democrat, was elected Governor in the recent Oregon election. The rest was taken by the Republicans.

HON. JOHN C. TANSKEY, of Kansas City, has been renominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Fifth Missouri district.

THE verdict of the coroner's jury on the disaster at the drawbridge at Ashland, Cal., on Decoration day was that Engineer Dunn, of the ill-fated train, was guilty of manslaughter.

### THE SOUTH.

THE Democratic convention met at Montgomery, Ala., on the 30th and proceeded to ballot for a candidate for Governor. About a dozen ballots were taken without result. Kolb had the Alliance support. He remained in the lead, but there was no sign of a break in any way.

THE Arkansas State Press Association has elected G. R. Williams, of Fort Smith, president, and John R. Jabe, of Searcy, secretary.

SNOWDEN SMITH, a farmer of Washington County, Ark., died recently from the effects of a dog bite over a year ago. His agony was terrible.

THE magnificent Texas Spring Palace at Fort Worth, Tex., was burned on the night of the 30th while a ball was in progress. A fearful panic followed the alarm of fire. Several were killed and fatally injured, many others being seriously hurt. The loss was \$250,000.

POWELL CLAYTON, of Arkansas, and N. B. Scott, of West Virginia, have been elected members of the National Republican Executive Committee.

INCENDIARISM was the cause of the burning of four squares of buildings at Middleborough, Ky., the fire being started in Hoyland's grocery. The loss was \$300,000 and 2,000 people were rendered homeless.

THE Dupont paper mills, Louisville, Ky., burned recently. Loss, \$235,000; insured.

THE fire at Fort Worth, Tex., was not so fatal as first reported. Only one person was killed. Thirty were hurt.

THE union printers of the Chattanooga (Tenn.) Times struck for higher wages. Their places were soon filled.

### GENERAL.

THE cattle dealers of Montreal have petitioned the Montreal Council to establish union stock yards and close the present small places.

BUSINESS was quiet on the London Stock Exchange during the week ended May 31. The Continental bourses were firm and fairly active. Sugar was steady at Havana.

CLEARING house returns for the week ended May 31 showed an average increase of 4.5 compared with the corresponding week of last year. In New York there was a decrease of 1.5.

THE Bey of Tunis has decreed that every negro domestic in his dominions must be given a certificate of freedom and that employers who do not comply with this will be fined.

IT is asserted in London that the sale of the Congo Free State to Great Britain will soon be announced. The country comprises 1,200,000 square miles with a population of 30,000,000.

AN attempt was made recently to wreck the fast mail train at Castle Bar, Ireland, the gates being taken off and placed across the tracks, but the obstruction was discovered in time to avert a disaster.

THE Argentine Republic Congress has passed a bill providing that one-half of the customs duties be made payable in gold.

THE triangle faction of the Clan-na-Gael, or that element which has backed up Alexander Sullivan, has issued a call for a convention of its own.

SENHOR BRANCO, the Portuguese novelist, is dead.

THERE was a serious earthquake at Lima, Peru, on the 2d.

AN old man named Campeau, living forty miles from Ottawa, Ont., poisoned himself and family with wild parsnips recently. Two or three children died.

MORMONS claim that their importations are not a violation of the Contract Labor law. They will be watched.

THE Women's Federation of England will present a memorial to Mr. Gladstone, asking him to include the granting of the franchise to women in the programme of issues to be settled at the next general election for members of Parliament.

CHAKIR PASHA, the Governor of Crete, has been summoned to Constantinople by the Turkish Government.

THE customs committee of the French Chamber of Deputies has rejected a proposal to exempt from duty corn and rice which are to be used for seed.

THE Emperor of Germany has informed Prince Bismarck that he must stop giving information to newspapers.

THE Russian police have notified the police of Paris of fresh conspiracies against the Czar among the Nihilists now in France.

SIX of the naval cadets of the United States squadron evoluting and festivating in the Mediterranean have been brought home charged with attempted desertion.

FOUR hundred coal heavers of Montreal have struck for 35 cents per hour.

THERE are rumors that the binding twine trust has collapsed.

### THE LATEST.

CONGRESSMAN SPRINGER has been renominated by the Democrats of the Thirteenth Illinois district.

THE Czar has issued a ukase ordering an abandonment of the persecution of Hebrews for one year.

THE English Derby was won by Sanfoin, defeating the favorite, Sure Foot, who was unplaced.

GOVERNOR FRANCIS, of Missouri, has ordered the delivery to the Colorado authorities of Mansfield King, the Denver Bank robber.

D. D. MORRILL, chairman of the St. Paul executive committee of the National Educational Association, entirely exonerates Prof. Canfield of any responsibility for the misunderstanding with Archbishop Ireland over the reading of a paper on "Parochial Schools."

A MAN, wife and two children have been murdered by Apaches at Pantino, three miles from Tucson, Ariz.

THE thirteenth annual meeting of the Royal Arcanum commenced at Milwaukee, Wis., on the 4th.

CONSIDERABLE damage was reported from many places in Iowa from recent heavy rains. At Underwood thirty-five dwellings were washed away. Much stock was drowned.

FATHER HENNESSY, the Catholic priest of Dungannon, O., who assaulted Ella McGraw with a club, has been held in \$500 bonds for trial on a charge of assault with intent to kill.

TWO hundred laborers on the Selby avenue cable line extension in St. Paul, Minn., have struck for a raise in wages.

A FREIGHT train after traveling ten miles through water southeast of Dubuque, Iowa, ran into a washout and was wrecked. The fireman was killed and a brakeman badly hurt.

THE German Lutheran Anti-Bennett Educational law convention was held at Milwaukee, Wis., on the 4th. Resolutions were adopted denouncing the law.

TAMMANY has opened a kindergarten for the purpose of instructing people how to cast ballots under the new Reform law.

TWO hundred and fifty employees of the street railroads of Columbus, O., have struck for increased wages.

NEITHER Kansas nor Missouri has a representative on the Republican Congressional Campaign Executive Committee.

THE journeymen bakers of Vienna propose to strike unless the price of bread is advanced so they can get more wages.

THE Senate on the 4th passed the Fortifications bill. The House unseated Mr. Turpin, of Alabama, and put in McDuffie.

## KANSAS STATE NEWS.

### Republican State Convention.

THE Republican state Central Committee met at Topeka on May 27 and issued the following call:

A delegate convention of the R-publicans of Kansas will be held in the city of Topeka on Wednesday, the third day of September, 1890, at the hour of four o'clock p. m. for the nomination of candidates for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Delegates to the convention mentioned above shall be elected by county conventions, duly called by the several county Republican committees, under such rules and regulations as may be by them prescribed. The basis of apportionment of delegates to said state convention will be one delegate at large for each county of the State, and one delegate for every 400 voters or fraction of 200 or more votes cast for Eugene F. Ware for Elector-at-Large in the election of 1888; under which rule delegates are apportioned to the several counties as follows:

Counties.	Delegates.	Counties.	Delegates.
Allen	6	Lincoln	6
Anderson	6	Logan	6
Atchison	9	Monroe	7
Barber	3	Marshall	7
Barton	3	McPherson	7
Bourbon	10	Meade	2
Brown	8	Miami	6
Butler	9	Montgomery	8
Chase	4	Morton	2
Chautauque	5	Muskegon	2
Cherokee	5	Nemaha	7
Cherokee	5	Neosho	6
Clark	2	Newton	5
Cass	6	Osage	10
Cloud	7	Ottawa	5
Coffey	6	Pawnee	3
Cole	6	Phillips	5
Cowley	11	Pottawatomie	7
Crawford	9	Pratt	4
Decatur	4	Rawlins	4
Dickinson	8	Rock	9
Doniphan	7	Republic	7
Douglas	7	Rice	6
Edwards	2	Riley	6
Ellis	3	Rock	9
Ellsworth	3	Rush	3
Franklin	3	Russell	3
Garfield	2	Saline	7
Geary	4	Scott	2
Grant	2	Sevier	14
Gove	2	Shawnee	20
Graham	2	Shepherd	8
Gray	2	Sherman	8
Greenwood	7	Smith	5
Hamilton	2	Stanton	3
Harper	2	Stevens	2
Haskell	2	Sumner	10
Holmes	2	Thomas	3
Jackson	6	Trego	2
Jefferson	7	Wabasha	2
Jewell	7	Washington	9
Johnson	7	Wichita	2
Kearney	2	Wilson	6
Kiowa	2	Woodson	4
Labette	8	Wyandotte	13
Lane	2		
Leavenworth	4	Total	364
Lincoln	6		

The secretary of the several county conventions are instructed to forward to the undersigned secretary at Topeka, Kan., a certified copy of the credentials of their several delegates, immediately upon the adjournment of the county conventions said credentials to be received at Topeka not later than the evening of September 2. From these credentials the Republican State Central Committee will prepare a roster of those entitled to participate in the preliminary organization of the convention.

By order of the committee.  
HENRY BOOTH, Chairman.  
BIOB S. HUTCHINS, Secretary.

### Miscellaneous.

A RECEPTION was tendered the Kansas pioneers of 1854 at Lawrence the other day by Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Brooks. A notable company was present and interesting letters were read from absent pioneers—among others, Hon. S. C. Pomroy, Washington; Samuel Tappan, G. W. Brown and William Hutchinson. Addresses were made by C. H. Branscomb, Governor Robinson, John Speer, Robert E. Hott, Colonel O. E. Leonard, S. N. Simpson and others. An organization of Kansas pioneers was effected and annual meetings will be held hereafter.

FREDDIE, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leonard, of Topeka, was recently killed by a runaway horse.

JAMES NOON, a Marion County farmer, recently sold some cattle and took the money to town and deposited it. A Bohemian named Frank Patchick, who was working for him, knowing that Mrs. Noon was alone and supposing the money was still in the house, attacked her with large nails and beat her on the head in a horrible manner, several of the nails entering the skull. After striking her till her head was almost a jelly, the brute dragged her by the hair to a hog pen and left her for dead. He fled before the injured woman was discovered.

NEAL HEENEY, a prominent citizen of Doniphan County, was struck by lightning the other night and instantly killed while in a pool room at Severance and in the act of making a shot. Others in the room were badly shocked.

JAMES WELLS pleaded guilty to forgery in the third degree in the district court at Olathe the other afternoon and was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years. Wells was an old citizen of the place, having resided there for thirty years and had always been regarded prior to committing this offense as an honest and industrious citizen. He was tempted to commit this crime by poverty.

DURING a late thunder storm Henry Corn's house at Humboldt was struck by lightning and destroyed. Mrs. Corn was somewhat injured.

MRS. PETERS, widow of Roadmaster Peters who was killed in the Derby wreck on the Santa Fe, has been presented with a purse of \$700, made up by the railroad employees.

AN "original package" house was opened at Fort Scott recently and ran thirty minutes, when it was closed by the marshal.

THE Railroad Commissioners have reaffirmed their decision that express companies can not establish arbitrary limits for the delivery of parcels consigned to patrons in cities and towns, but must deliver such goods to all parties without discrimination.

## TORNADO TIMES.

Five Lives Lost and Twenty Injured at Bradshaw, Neb.

A Russian Settlement Said to Have Been Blown Away With Much Loss of Life—A Tornado Wrecks a School House in Iowa.

OMAHA, Neb., June 5.—The results of Tuesday night's storm at Bradshaw were fully as bad as at first reported, the cyclone striking the place about 8:30 o'clock, almost completely demolishing every building, instantly killing five persons and injuring a score of others.

The killed are: Mrs. Henner, three children of John Shaw, a young son of J. A. Brumsey.

Among the injured are: J. A. Brumsey, arm broken; Mrs. Brumsey and two daughters, Mrs. Cutshall and family, Mrs. M. Williams, an unknown emigrant, Nellie Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and family, Dr. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Keyser, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Babcock and three children, Willie Chaplin, P. M. and T. Colby, J. N. Cook, Willie Heath, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. Ex Chapin. Mr. Shaw, father of John Shaw, is missing.

The roar of the whirlwind was the first notice the terrified people had, and whenever possible they sought places of safety. But few, however, had more than time to close the doors of their homes.

Thirty minutes after the storm struck the town the stars from a clear sky shone out again.

Not a building was left standing. Every business house was wrecked and the principal street was filled with ruins, while their contents were scattered broadcast over the prairies. The depot was crushed into kindling wood and all but one car was wrecked. This, which chanced to be loaded with stock, was blown to York, a distance of nine miles, without leaving the track.

The storm came from the southwest, and was about a half mile in width. As far as investigation has gone the country was laid waste and destruction is marked on every hand.

At midnight after the news of the disaster had reached York, the fire bells were rung and in a short time 250 people had gathered together and an hour afterward by train and team half the city was en route to Bradshaw, bearing clothing, bedding and provisions and the physicians of the city. Physicians from Aurora and Lincoln were also at the scene as soon as they could get there. Many wonderful escapes were detailed during the morning hours.

Thirty-five persons were in the hotel during the blow. The roof was torn off and the sides partly caved in and the windows knocked out, but no one was hurt.

Seven men were in a hall over a store and remained there until the blow was over. The hall and store are a mass of ruins, but not a man was hurt.

One man's family was saved by clinging to a heavy base burner.

Another child clung to a small tree in the yard and it held and saved her.

There is great need for provisions and supplies and the York people have contributed with no stint. When it is remembered that every store in the town is ruined the need for these supplies can be realized.

Yesterday Governor Thayer dispatched Adjutant-General Cole to the scene of the disaster with 100 tents and instructed him to take the York militia company with him to guard the property of the city and to render every needed assistance.

A Russian settlement near Bradshaw was struck and the report is that nine persons were killed there outright.

The physicians say that, in all, twelve are dead, eight mortally wounded and perhaps twenty-one hurt more or less seriously.

It is feared that the town of Bromfield was destroyed as it was in the line of the storm, but as the wires are down no particulars have been received.

### TORNADO IN IOWA.

CHESTER, Iowa, June 5.—A cyclone passed near this place at 3:30 yesterday afternoon.

A school house three miles south was struck by the storm and completely demolished. The teacher, Miss Mary Smith, was badly injured and one pupil fatally injured. Miss Smith may possibly recover.

Several farm houses and numerous outbuildings were blown away. The number of people injured is estimated at twenty.

### Cut Rates in Ball.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 5.—Captain Anson said that President O'Neill, of the Pittsburgh National League Club had decided to put the price of admission at twenty cents upon the arrival of the Pittsburgh Players' League Club in this city to play its next series at home. The Pittsburgh National League Club will play their Cincinnati series scheduled for Pittsburgh this week at Cincinnati, and will likely play in Brooklyn July 4, instead of Pittsburgh.

### William H. Cate Indorsed.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 5.—At the Democratic conventions held in nearly all the counties comprising the Fifth Congressional district up to date, Judge William H. Cate has been indorsed for renomination. He was recently ousted from the Fifty-first Congress by Louis P. Featherstone, who ran as an Independent and successfully contested Cate's seat, and who will again be a candidate.